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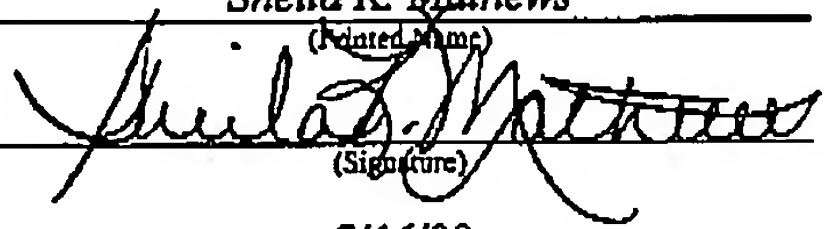
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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This Reply and Amendment is intended to be entirely responsive to the Office Action dated April 17, 2008 concerning the above-referenced patent Application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the Application as follows: